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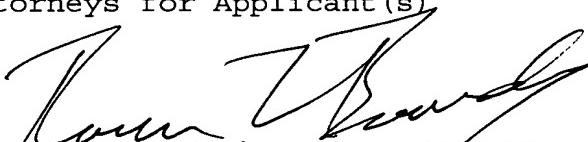
Claims 1 - 20 presently appear in this case. The amendments to the claims are being made to eliminate all multiple dependencies, and to otherwise improve the form of the claims for U.S. practice.

Prompt consideration on the merits and allowance are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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